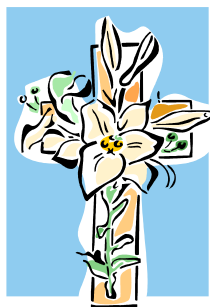


Liturgical Life



Readings for the Week of June 12, 2011

Sunday:	Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/Jn 20:19-23
Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11/Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Cor 12:1-10/Mt 6:24-34
Next Sunday:	Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY: 12 June. Presiders:

5:00 p.m.	Msgr. Maurice O'Connell
9:00 a.m.	Fr. Raymond Fecteau Family Liturgy
11:00 a.m.	Fr. Raymond Fecteau



FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI: 25 – 26 June, will be celebrated with a procession of the Blessed Sacrament at the 9:00 am liturgy on Sunday, 26 June. All parishioners are encouraged to join in the procession to celebrate this important feast.

ORDINARY TIME: Apart from those seasons having their own distinctive character, there remains in the

yearly cycle those weeks (33 or 34) that do not celebrate a specific mystery of Christ. Rather, especially on Sundays, they are devoted to the mystery of Christ in all its fullness. This period is known as Ordinary Time (General Norms, 43). Ordinary Time resumes when the Easter season ends, that is, on Monday, 13 June, the day following Pentecost.

SALVE REGINA: The Marian antiphon, *Salve Regina*, is sung from Trinity Sunday to the First Sunday of Advent. It was used as a processional chant at Cluny as early as 1135. The text of the antiphon is the familiar prayer, “Hail, Holy Queen.” At Visitation Parish we use it as a processional chant during the presentation of the gifts.

MASSTIMES.ORG: While travelling this summer, don't forget to visit www.masstimes.org for Mass times and locations across the country.

Parish Life

ECCE QUAM BONUM: Last weekend, **Joyce Alexandra Burger, Katherine Josephine Carlson, Sophia Rose Carlson, and William Richard Bouley** celebrated **First Eucharist**.

REQUIESCAT IN PACE: It is with sadness that we announce the death of **Henry Kluk**, uncle of *Anthony Kluk*. We commend him and his family to God in our prayers.

SAINTS/WINDOWS: **30 June, Pierre Toussaint** (1766-1853). Pierre Toussaint was born a slave in Haiti (upper panel). Jean and Marie Berard brought him to New York City in 1787, where he became a hairdresser. He attended mass daily. With Elizabeth Ann Seton, he founded one of New York City's first orphanages, and he helped raise funds for the city's first cathedral. In 1990, John Cardinal O'Connor moved his remains to the crypt beneath the high altar of St. Patrick's Cathedral (lower panel).

PARISH EMBER DAYS: Responding to the Gospel and following Church tradition, Visitation parishioners are encouraged to voluntarily set aside Wednesday, 15 June, Friday, 17 June and Saturday, 18 June as special days of fasting, prayer and works of charity.

PENTECOST SUNDAY

INFANT BAPTISMS: Parents presenting their children for Baptism must be registered in our parish and are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Class **prior to scheduling the Baptism**. Attendance during pregnancy is encouraged. For further information, call the parish office, (301) 948-5536 x 105.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS: Morning Prayer is prayed every morning before the 9:15 a.m. daily liturgy. Morning Prayer begins at 8:45 a.m. in the Thomas More Chapel.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: If you are planning to undergo major surgery, please notify our parish office. If illness or age prevents you from attending mass, call the parish office to arrange for visitation and Communion in your home.

PRAYER CHAIN: If you would like to have a special intention remembered in our prayers, please email parishoffice@olvp.org or call the parish office at (301) 948-5536, ext. 103.

MARRIAGE PLANNING: It is Archdiocesan and parish policy that couples seeking to be married in the Church are to make arrangements with a priest or deacon a minimum of six months prior to setting a wedding date.

CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER: Catholic Engaged Encounter is an experiential weekend that calls engaged couples to a sacramental way of life through the vocation of matrimony. For further information go to www.dcengagedencounter.org and register for a weekend.

SILENT RETREATS: Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center offers silent retreats based on the *Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola*, for women on 22 – 24 July and for men on 26 - 28 August at 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD

2011 QUO VADIS CAMP FOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUNG MEN: Join other high school young men at the third annual Quo Vadis Camp, 17 – 20 July at the Msgr. O'Dwyer Retreat Center in Sparks, MD. Cost is \$100.00; scholarships are available. Contact Father Rob Walsh, 301-853-4580.

Faith Formation for Life

THANK YOU: Each member of our parish staff received a packet of hand-written, personal notes of thanks and congratulations on the occasion of our patronal feast and anniversary from the students and faculty at Mary of Nazareth Catholic Elementary School. The notes were wonderful and we appreciate the effort and thought expressed in each of them.



SCRIPTURE STUDY: A study of the readings for the Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity will be on Tuesday, 14 June, 10:00 a.m., in the Barn.

VACATION BIBLE CAMP REGISTRATION CHANGE: Don't forget to register your three and ½ year olds through 5th graders for VBC. Join us for **"PANDAMANIA"**, a totally Catholic VBC where God is wild about you! Registration is ongoing for Session II, June 27th through July 1st; Session I, June 24th through June 27th, is closed. Contact Michele Olewack in the parish office at (301) 948-5536 x107. Each session is held from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the church. Session II is closed for 3 ½ year olds at this time. The fee is \$100.00 per week.

MARY OF NAZARETH: For information about Mary of Nazareth School, please visit the school's website at www.maryofnazareth.org.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE – TEACH IN A CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Discover a diverse, faith-filled environment where teachers are empowered to impact young lives through faith, service and scholarship. Discover a supportive community of fellow teachers, parents and students. Discover the difference you can make in students' lives. Faculty positions are available across the archdiocese. For employment information and a listing of positions, visit www.CatholicSchoolsWork.org, or call 301-853-4518.

KEEPING KIDS SAFE: Parents, guardians and other adults who care for children face constant challenges in trying to help keep children safe in today's fast-paced world. The Archdiocese of Washington Office of Child Protection Services has created a series of parent guides, "*Keeping Kids Safe*," covering general safety tips, internet safety, cyber bullying, texting, healthy teen relationships and the archdiocesan child protection policy. Please visit www.adw.org and click on "Protecting our Children."

Social Concerns



HAITI COLLECTION: Our 31 May collection of \$208.00 was donated to our sister parish in Haiti.

PRISON OUTREACH MINISTRY INC. seeks to reduce recidivism, develop support systems for individuals returning to their communities following incarceration, and educate the community by building relationships and matching individuals with volunteer mentors. Fr. Michael Bryant, the founder, is in great need of financial contributions to continue their successful work. **To donate, contact (202) 347-3218 or www.prisonoutreachministry.org.**

Human Resources

THANK YOU: We were truly blessed with good weather and outstanding volunteers who helped to ensure the success of our parish picnic.

EMAIL ADDRESS: To receive announcements and messages about parish activities, please send your email address to parishoffice@olvp.org with the subject line: **email**.

BULLETIN/FLYERS DEADLINE: If you wish to submit a bulletin article or a separate insert/flyer in the bulletin, please submit the information by calling (301) 948-5536, ext. 103 or email cenos@olvp.org by noon on Monday.

Facilities

PARISH REPAIR: If you see a needed repair around the parish, please call the parish office at (301) 948-5536 x103 and report the problem so we can get it fixed.

Finance

FAITH DIRECT: Faith Direct will be sending a letter to parishioners, both enrolled and non-enrolled, with additional information about the benefits of using Faith Direct. Join the many parishioners who have already enrolled in Faith Direct for automated giving to Our Lady of the Visitation. Faith Direct is secure and convenient. There is no cost to you, and the program provides a great benefit to our parish. Sign up today by visiting www.faithdirect.net or by calling (866) 507-8757. Our parish code is MD114. You may pick up an enrollment form from the presider/deacon after mass or from the parish office (301) 948-5536 x108.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

June

- 14 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 15 Wed Ember Day
- 17 Fri Ember Day
- 18 Sat Ember Day
- 19 Sun **Trinity Sunday**
Father's Day
- 20 Mon Vacation Bible Camp, Session I Begins
- 21 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 24 Fri Vacation Bible Camp, Session I Ends
- 26 Sun **Corpus Christi**
9 a.m. Procession
Peter's Pence Collection
- 27 Mon Vacation Bible Camp, Session II, Begins
- 28 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 30 Thu Holy Hour, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m., Barn

July

- 01 Fri Vacation Bible Camp, Session II, Ends
- 02 Sat Mortgage Reduction Collection
- 03 Sun Mortgage Reduction Collection
- 04 Mon Parish Office Closed
- 05 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 12 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn
- 19 Tue Scripture Study, 10:00 a.m., Barn

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